

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

DONNA CRAIG	§	CIVIL ACTION NO.: 5:11-CV-1986
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VERSUS	§	JUDGE S. MAURICE HICKS
	§	
DESOTO PARISH SHERIFF AND TERRY YETMAN	§	MAGISTRATE JUDGE MARK L. HORNSBY
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RULE 26(f) CASE MANAGEMENT REPORT

A meeting of counsel, as listed below, was held on January 11, 2012, by telephone.

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1. Nature of Plaintiff's Claim

Civil rights (false arrest and excessive force)

2. Bench or Jury Trial

Jury trial requested by plaintiff in the original Petition filed with the 42nd Judicial District Court, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana; Docket #73,089.

3. Initial Disclosures

The parties will exchange initial disclosures by February 1, 2012.

4. Jurisdiction

No party challenges the court's subject matter jurisdiction.

5. Joinder of Parties and Amendment of Pleadings

At this time, no party anticipates seeking leave to amend a pleading or add a party. The parties suggest a deadline of 30 days after the scheduling conference for any joinder or amendment.

6. Discovery Issues

- A. No discovery issues at this time.
- B. The parties propose a deadline of five (5) months after the scheduling conference for completion of discovery.

7. Motion Practice

- A. There are no pending motions at this time.
- B. The parties may file a dispositive motion on some or all of the issues. The parties suggest that the deadline for dispositive motions should be thirty (30) days after the discovery deadline.

8. Alternative Dispute Resolution

The parties may consider mediation after some discovery in this case.

9. Related Cases

None.

10. Trial by Magistrate Judge

The parties do not consent to trial by Magistrate Judge at this time.

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